# **Tribal Enrollment Department Staff:**

Lorraine A. Silva, Enrollment Manager Notary Public

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Kayla Carrillo, Data Entry Clerk

## **Enrollment Committee Members:**

**Encinal Representative-**

Elsie Vaio - Chairperson

Mesita Representative-

Mary O. Lockwood - Secretary

Paguate Representative-

Gloria Martin

# Paraje/Casa Blanca Representative-

Victoria Johnson – Vice Chairperson

Seama Representative-

Elaine Rivera

Laguna Representative-

Claudia Douma

# **Election Board Members:**

Shannon Douma – Chairperson Joseph Ray – Vice Chairperson Janice Kowemy – Secretary Marilyn Joe Lorenzo Pino Rebecca Ray (Alternate)

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PYSICAL LOCATION:
PUEBLO OF LAGUNA
ADMINISTRATION BUILDING
(TRIBAL BUILDING)
22 CAPITAL ROAD
LAGUNA, NEW MEXICO 87026

Located at Laguna Village off of Interstate 40, Exit 114, South of NM Highway 124 (Route 66) East of St. Joseph Church

# **PUEBLO OF LAGUNA**

TRIBAL ENROLLMENT OFFICE

# Information for Our Community



Hours of Operation: Monday – Friday 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

## CONTACT INFORMATION:

TRIBAL ENROLLMENT OFFICE P.O. BOX 194 LAGUNA, NM 87026

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# THE TRIBAL ENROLLMENT OFFICE

## DEPARTMENT OVERVIEW

The Enrollment Office is under the directive of the Pueblo Secretary and in accordance with the Pueblo of Laguna Constitution (Amended October 29, 2012).

The Enrollment Office is responsible for maintaining a current membership roll and informing the Pueblo Secretary of the additions and deletions of said roll.

The Tribal Enrollment Office is a public service office, as well as a vital records office, dealing with many different individuals, communities, programs, businesses and governments (tribal & non-tribal).

## SCOPE OF WORK

- Provides applications and information regarding Regular & Naturalized membership and the different benefits for each.
- Provide documentation (CIBs, DCIBs, BIA Form 4432s, etc.) verifying tribal enrollment/membership.
- Provide and assist with Relinquishment Forms, Village Transfer Forms, Abide By Forms,

- Funeral Expense, and Family Trees (Upon Written Request).
- Maintain and safeguard the files of all enrolled members which contain vital & important documents & records. (Wills, Land Assignments, Power of Attorney, Court Orders, DD214's, etc. can be placed in files by request only.)
- Assist with Minor's Trust Change of Address & Withdrawal Forms.
- Generate statistical information (Upon Written Request).
- O Assist with the per capita distribution.
- Assist the Enrollment Committee by preparing material presented to the Pueblo Council for quarterly presentations of new members held in March, June, September & December.
- Assist the Election Board with the Tribal Election process.
- Assist families with preparing and filing death certificates with the New Mexico Vital Records.
- O Assist with retrieving birth/death certificates by making trips once a month to the NM Vital Records in Santa Fe. (Trips are made usually the first week of each month, contact office for further details.)
- Provide notary service at no charge.

<u>Reminder:</u> The BIA Census Numbers are no longer valid or issued from the Laguna Agency; individuals need to be an enrolled tribal member to receive an enrollment/tribal ID number.

Per the Pueblo of Laguna CONSTITUTION (Amended October 29, 2012)

Regular Membership Qualifications: Any person one-fourth (1/4) or more Laguna Indian Blood.

Naturalization Membership Qualifications: Persons of at least one-half (1/2) degree of Indian blood of federally recognized tribes who possess at least one-eighth (1/8) degree of Laguna Indian Blood; or In-laws who possess at least one-half (1/2) degree Indian blood & are enrolled with a federally recognized tribe; or persons who previously relinquished their membership with Laguna.

Certain documents are required to be submitted, please contact office for further assistance.

# \*\*\*\*\*PICTURE ID CARDS\*\*\*\*\*

Are taken on WEDNESDAYS from 9:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m.
Cost is \$5.00.

\*\*\*\*\*It is highly recommended to contact office to schedule an appointment.\*\*\*\*\*